Death of Col. James F. Brown, at North Stonington-Unnecessary Fire Alarm - Granite Contracts Skip Westerly For Connecticut Quarry - St. Michael's Boys to Camp at Wyasseup Lake.

Col. James Franklin Brown, a resident of prominence in North Stonington, died Tuesday morning after five weeks' illness, at the Brown homestead at North Stonington, in his seventy-sixth year. He was prominent in republican politics and in Grand Army affairs.

Colonel Brown was graduated from Yale college in 1862 with the degree of A.B. and in 1865 was honored with the A.M. degree. Soon after graduation from Yale, on August 15, 1862, he enlisted in G company, Twenty-first regiment infantry, Connecticut volunteers, and was commissioned captain of the company September 5, 1862. He was promoted to be major October 12, 1864, and to be lieutenant colonel October 18, 1864. When mustered out, June 16, 1865, he was in command of the regiment. neat in republican politics and in Grand Army affairs.

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Very soon after being mustered out of the military service, he engaged in the wholesale grocery business, 1865 to 1878, and then retired from active business life, and returned to the old homestead in North Stonington, where he died.

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Mr. Brown was for many years a member of the republican state central committee and was a member of the legislature, 1886 to 1889. He was a member of the state board of agriculture since 1899, and served as secretary of the board since 1900. He was connected with Hancock post, G. A. R., of Westerly, department of Connecticut, and a member of the Congressional church in North Stonington. gational church in North Stonington.
Mr. Brown was a son of George
Coggeshall and Sarah Ann Stanton-Coggeshall and Sarah Ann Stanton-Brown and was born in North Ston-ington January 10, 1826. He married Harriet Almy Greene at Portsmouth, R. L. October 1, 1868. He leaves a widow, one son, James Franklin Brown Jr. of North Stonington. and four daughters, Mrs. Harriet B. Becket of Stonington. Mrs. W. E. Dawson, Jr., of Savannah; Mrs. Frank M. Bindioss of Mystic and Miss Bessie A. Brown of Hartford.

Fire alarm was sent in from the box corner of Cross and Hobart streets -No. 35—at half-past nine Tuesday morning, and three minutes later the morning, and three minutes later the Cyclone apparatus started for the fire, closely followed by the Rhode Island Ones and the Alert Hook and Ladder company. It was a long and needless run, for when the tired horses and willing firemen reached the cause of the alarm there was no fire to extinguish. In the tenement occupied by Alexander McColl, at 20 Hobart street, there was evidence of a chimney fire, and while this was being subdued some excitable person ran to the nearest fire box and pulled in the alarm.

ed on the charge of beating his wife, Walleria, was given a hearing before Judge Williams in the Third district court. After hearing the testimony, Judge Williams remarked that he did not know whether it was best to send the accused to jail for six months or eleven months or to — . Here Mrs. Weitzorek broke in and pleaded pite-ously for the release of her husband.

cusly for the release of her husband, who was arrested upon her complaint. She deciared he was a good provider for her family and that if freed he would never beat ner any more.

Judge Williams suspended sentence and placed Weitzorek on probation, with orders to report to the court weekly, until relieved of probation. Then the Weitzoreks, husband and wife, departed for their home in John wife, departed for their home in John street, he vowing that he would lead a better life, and she believing that he meant just what he said,

Carloads of granite pass through graphic Westerly from the east as well as offered from the west, almost daily, while the industry here is not flourishing, when woman industry here is not flourishing, when compared with the times that Westerly was a granite center. Material from Stony Creek, Conn., for a new church and parish house in Fall River, is even worse than carrying coals to Newcastle. There are fine granite quarries in Massachusetts, as well as in Rhode Island; still the granite used on these jobs comes from Connecticut. In these days, when rebating is a crime, the cost of freightage must be greater from Stony Creek to Fall River, than from Westerly, which is over forty from Westerly, which is over forty miles nearer Fall River. The quality of the Westerly granite is fully as good, if not better, and the price would be naturally lower. Why do not contracts of this nature come to West-

A free but not advertised exhibition of Wild West broncho busting was given in the Welch circus lot, Tuesday afternoon. Wheeler, the horseman, has thirty or more horses of all descriptions in this lot, including several broncho ponies, unbroken to saddle, Mr. Wheeler desired to take three of these ponies away and concluded to

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Upon invitation of Rev. Dr. John Neale, fifty boys, members of the Junior Holy Name society, will camp for three days at Camp St. Michael, near Wyassup lake, about six miles north of the village of North Stonington. The entire party will leave for camp The entire party will leave for camp this (Wednesday) morning, making the first stage of the journey by the Nor-wich-Westerly trolley route. Dr. Neale has made ample arrangements for the boys' comfort and pleasure.

Local Laconics.

One drunk was disciplined in the district court Tuesday. Ellen Coogan of Springfield has pur-chased a building lot at Pleasant View. The expert tree surgeons from Provdence struck a summer's, job

Westerly. Henry J. Palmer, who has been sick for two weeks with heart trouble, died Tuesday at his home in Pleasant

The memoers of the Sunday school of Grace Methodist church picnicked at Brightman's pond Tuesday. They made the trip in six barges. Capt. Herbert O. Dunn, U. S. N., commanding battleship Idaho, is on a visit to his father, Edward M. Dunn,

Noank has been invited by unanimous vote to continue indefinitely as acting pastor of the First Baptist church, Westerly.

at Haversham, in the town of West-

William Clark of Westerly left Springfield for Westerly, Sunday aft-ernoon, with his brother, Robert K, Clark, agent of the American Thread company, Holyoke, Mass, who has been home for a few days from Watch Hill where he has been recuperating, Robert Clark's health is much im-proved since his recent prostration by

STONINGTON.

Students to Compete for Prizes-Austin Bogue Not Guilty in Motor Case -Peril of Norwich Auto Driver.

New York are at the Wampassett inn, on Water street, on return from their travels around the world. Dr. and Mrs. Hale of Springfield are

guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Maine.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kilby of Boston are visiting in town. Mrs. Charles Holmes of Chicago is spending the summer here.

Mrs. Raymond Robbins and Miss Sullivan af Chicago are spending the

Prizes for Students.

work.

No Case Agrinst Bogue

The motor beat case came to dial in Stenington court Tuesday morning. The case is the first one of its kind to come under the new Cornection state law regarding the use of mufflers on motor boats. Austin Bogue, Jr., of Mystic was charged with run-Jr., of alystic was charged with run-ning a motor boat not properly muf-fled on the 13th of July. He entered a plea of not guilty. Bogue was de-fended by Attorney Frank Hinckley of Mystic; the state was represented by Attorney Bejamin H. Hewitt. The state failed to prove that Bogue was in charge of the boat on the day speci-fied in the charge and therefore the accused was released.

New York Car in Danger.

A large auto from New York came near meeting with an accident on the railroad tracks at the Elm street crossing Monday. The car struck the rails; the engine stopped, stalling the machine between the east and west bound rails in a hollow spot. The warming hells were riveries for the warning belis were ringing for the approach of the Bay State Limited and the men jumped out and with the assistance of Dr. W. C. Thompsen sueceeded in getting the auto from the rails just as the express came by.

New Yacht Club.

Several borough lads have formed a yacht club and as all are owners of boats enjoy a pleasure all their own. The officers are: L. D. Fairbrother, Jr., commodore, yacht Saskatchewan: L. T. Sylvia, vice commodore, yacht Reliance: Billings B. Fairbrother, rear commodore, yacht Reliance I.; H. Norman, secretary, yacht Half Moon: Edward Gilmore, treasurer, yacht Sterling; Paul Hammond, steward, yacht Speedway.

A regatia will soon be held. The prize will be a silver loving cup. The boats are from 18 inches to four feet in length and are finely rigged and sail well. New Yacht Club.

Vital Statistics.

Vital statistics for the town of Stonington for June show 20 births, 12 marriages and 5 deaths.

The officers of the borough fire department will hold their session Thursday evening in the rooms of the P. H, and L, company, in borough hall

TIGER'S BITE CAUSES

LOSS OF AN ARM. Ansonia Man Was in the Employ of Sig Sawtelle's Circus.

Old Saybrook, Conn., July 25 .- John Old Saybrook, Conn., July 25.—John Williams of Ansonia, wha has been in the employ of Sig Sawtelle's circus for about two weeks, was bitten by a lion with a man-killing record, when he got too close to the beast last night. One arm was so badly injured that amputation will be necessary. Williams was taken away when the circus left town.

•Fair Haven.—Invitations have been issued for the celebration of the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Willis, to be held at their ome on Friday, July 28.

TO THE BUSINESS

THE waning Summer brings with it compensations which the thrifty soul welcomes with delight. The garments which in the beginning of the season delighted the eye did not please the pocket-book. But now that the Autumn is in sight the merchant must clear from his shelves the goods which so far as the purchaser is concerned are still seasonable. Upon our second floor in the Cloak and Suit section we are selling at closing-out prices some beautiful Summer Dresses.

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MYSTIC

amb-Langworthy Wedding Invitations Out-Austin Bogue Acquitted -Charles E. Gaskell Critically III-Charles H. Davis and Wife Return from Europe.

Invitations have been received in Mystle for the marriage of Miss Jessie Lamb, daughter of Capt. Benjamin Lamb, of Noank, and James Langworthy of Mystic, the ceremony to be performed at the home of the bride on

Thursday, Aug. 3.
Word was received in Mystic Friday morning of the death of Col. James F. Brown of North Stonington. Mr. Brown was well known here, He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Frank Bindloss, and two sisters, Misses Aqua and Elizabeth Brown, who reside on Denison ave-

Bogue Acquitted.

The motor boat case of Austin Bogue was brought up in town court in Ston-ington Tuesday morning, there being a large number from Mystic in attend-ance. The case was adjourned on July graphic school are entering a contest offered by Mrs. L. B. Lathrop's school and the young man or young woman making the best record in the school and the young man or young was defended by Atterney Frank H. Hinckley. The state was represented the property of the school are entering a contest to motor boat not properly muffled. He

At the annual meeting of the stock-holders of the Groton Savings bank the following trustees were elected to serve for another year: Lemuel Clift, William E. Wheeler, Frederick Deni-son, Evans D. Evans, Ira C. Noyes, charles H. Latham, Henry B. Noyes, The new trustees are Charles W. Lamb, Ralph H. Webb, H. B. Lamo, Walter C. Morgan. The trustees elected the following officers: President, Henry B. Noyes; vice president, Lemuel Clift; secretary, Ira C. Noyes; treasurer Ira C. Noyes;

Miss Rogers Recovering.

Miss Ruth Rogers, who was injured while using roller skates at the Golden Spur a week ago Monday, and was taken to the summer home of her parents in South Lyme, has recovered 30 as to be able to come to Mystic on Tuesday. She was taken to the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Charles E.

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Newbury, where she will remain until able to be about again.

Baptist Sunday School Picnic. The Sunday school of the Union Baptist church enjoyed its annual picnic Tuesday at the Casino at Weonete quock. The school left by trolley at 10 o'clock, two special trolleys accommodating the members. The

To Move to New London. Byron Billings, who sold his house on East Main street to Stepher Paimer, has purchased a house in New Lendon ard will move his family there some time during August. Mr. and Mrs. Billings and family have been camping at South Lyme during July. Critically III.

Charles E. Gaskell, manager of the Mystic pharmacy, is critically ill at his home on Denison avenue. Little hope is entertained for his recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hermes spent Tuesday in New Londor. Home from Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Davis, who left May 5th for a tour in Europe, returned to Mystic Tuesday after-

Village Interests.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Noyes, Mrs. Nellie Raymond and son, Philip Ray-mond, are at Nauyaug for a week. Mrs. A. G. B. Hunt and two daugh-

Mr. and Mrs. John Baker.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bradley have returned to their home on Long Island after a visit to the former's mother.
Mrs. Amy Bradley. Mrs. Amy Bradley.
Fred Turner and Thomas McGarty
left Tuesday for a trolley trip through Massachusetts.

STAFFORD SPRINGS

A. Arnold Ross Resigns-Ralph Gold to Teach in China.

Rev. Horace D. Martin, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Noel M. Pease, has returned to Worcester. He will go to Kentucky next month, where he will take up the work of the ministry,
Rev. Judson P. Marvin will occupy
the pulpit of the Universalist church
in the Hollow on Aug. 6th. Mr. Marvin was a former pastor of the
church.

Universalist Pastor Resigns. Rev. A. Arnold Ross, pastor of the Universalist church, has resigned, the resignation to take effect Sept, 30th. Arthur J. Melbourne has returned after spending two weeks with relatives in Derby, Miss Claire L. Daggett of the local

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H. O. Butterfield has been appointed carctaker at Hyde park.
William E. Hanley and daughter,
Miss Mary Hanley, will leave Friday

the Knights of Columbus.

for Detroit. They will be absent about leave San Francisco today (Wednesthree weeks. Mr. Hanley goes as a day) for Foschew, China, where he delegate to the national convention of will be a teacher of electrical angi-To Teach in China.

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33 x 4	Regular	price	\$36.80	Ours\$31.95
34 x 4	Regular	price	\$38.00	Ours\$83.05
35 x 4	Regular	price	\$39.15	Ours\$34.05
36 x 4	Regular	price	\$40.40	Ours\$35.20
34 x 4½	Regular	price	\$48.10	Ours\$41.85
36 x 4½	Regular	price	\$51.00	Ours\$44.35
37 x 41/2	Regular	price	\$52.45	Ours\$45.00
38 x 41/2	Regular	price	\$53.85	Ours\$46.85
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